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Gentlemen:

Please continue the
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FCC proceeding 02-278.

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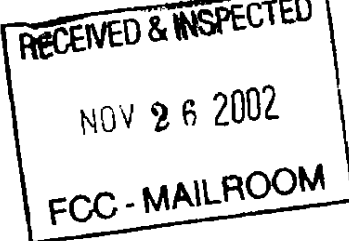
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Sincerely,
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RE: FCC PROCEEDING ~~02-278~~

GENTLEMEN:

I UNDERSTAND YOU ARE
CONSIDERING GUTTING THE INDIANA
NO-CALL LIST.

PLEASE DO NOT DO THIS!!

OUR LAW IS GREAT.

David L. Johnson

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Subject: Docket CG Docket No. 02-278

Dear Sir:

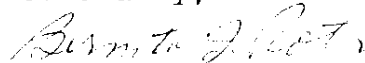
While I sympathize with people "just trying to make a living" I am very much against any uninvited telemarketing. It is not unusual for my evenings to be interrupted 5-6 times between the allowed hours of 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

I do not use a cell phone except for emergencies therefor it means getting **up** to answer the phone. Most callers I just say "No Thank You" and hang **up**. Some have called back and been mildly abusive.

When I say no uninvited telemarketing I include calls from political parties, candidates and their wives. I got two calls from G. W. and one from Laura not to mention countless other interested parties. And I'm a registered Democrat!

Thank you for listening. You were listening weren't you?

Cordially,



Bernita J. Roton

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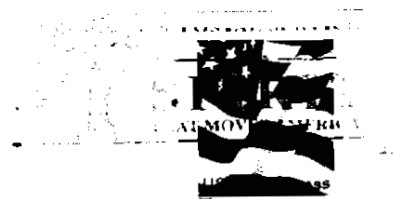


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Telemarketing industry should be heavily regulated and monitored by the FCC
Here are some ideas

1. Fines should be large enough to get the telemarketer's attention. Not just \$50.00 for the first violation but something like \$500.00 and on a hugely escalating scale for repeat offenders. The money should go to the person filing the complaint.
2. Hours for calling should be limited to 9am to 5pm Monday through Friday.
3. Automated political phone calls should be treated exactly as if they were a telemarketer.
4. It should be very easy for the public to file a complaint (none of us have time for this stuff anyway), perhaps with a simple phone number (it should be as easy to remember and dial as 911 or 800).
5. **All** states should be **required** to have a do-not-call number and this list should be incorporated electronically into a national do-not-call **list**,

I think that if a state do-not-call lists were implemented, you would find that all of American would be signing up. Maybe then telemarketing could be banned entirely, **which** is what I wish could happen.

????????? Do you know of anyone who has ever said they like to get a telemarketing call??????

!!!!!!!!!!!!!! Make it too hard for them to do business if they can't be banned!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

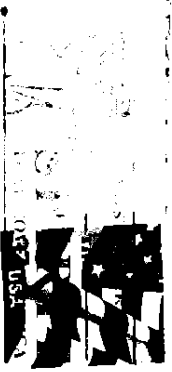
Thank you

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